GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

1905.

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Serial Nos. 1 – 6

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Month February 1905

SUBJECT.

Purchase of a Typewriter for the use of the Office of the D.G of prisons

PREVIOUS REFERENCES.	LATER REFERENCES.

Office of the Dewan of Mysore.

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Directions.

No., date and purport of receipts to be entered in red, and office note in black ink in order of dates.—To be written only on one side, and inside the line of margin.

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Office Note.

Branch — Judicial.

Subject —

Letter No. 475 dated the 30th May 1904, from the Insp.r General of Prisons in Mysore, requesting sanction for the purchase of a Densmore Typewriter for the use of his office at a cost of Rs. 390.

Subd. with for orders with a draft docket, suggesting the purchase of a Remington Typewriter instead of Densmore.

SN 4-6-04

Instead of going in for a comparatively unknown machine like the Densmore (with the result a similar defect met with in the case of the Blickensderfer machine), it would be much more advantageous to stick to the well-known Remington, this being universally in use in all offices to facilitate working by a number of hands (instead of by the a limited number), facility of repairs & replacement of parts, & perhaps also to cheapness of price. Accordingly submitted for approval.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(III prisons)

NOTES.

File No. 167/32

FILE HEADING.

Purchase of a Densmore Typewriter for the use of the Office of the Inspector general of Prisons.

From

The Inspector General of Prisons

No. 138/g Dated 27-1-1905 Received 28-1-1905

Diary No. g 1569	Enclos.	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 5

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

states that the Densmore Typewriter sanctioned for the use of his office was bought from Messrs. Swami ~~and~~ Brothers on the 15th July 1904 & that the machine is in use since and working satisfactorily

NOTES AND ORDERS.

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The Typewriter in question was sanctioned for the use of the above office in Govt Proceedings No. g 2702-03 dated the 17th June 1904 ~~and sub~~ with the request that the working of the machine should be reported.

NOTES—First sheet.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

File No. 167 of 1903-04

Serial No.

Subd with a draft order reading

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Submitted to the Hon'ble
Hero the 2d Councillor, with
reference to his order supra
dated the 8th June 1904

3.2.1905

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Draft Approved

6.2.1905

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OFFICE
11678.
1902.

FROM Lt-Col: Percy. A. Benson Dn. B. D. Dn
Insp. Genl of Prisons in Dny
Bangalore.

To H. V. Ranjundayya Esqr Dn. A. D
Secy. to Government
Genl & Revl Deptt
Bangalore

Dated 6th March 1902.

Despatched 7th

Received

General No. 282
No. J

Enclosure No. 4

Requests to obtain sanction of Government for the purchase of a Type-writing machine at a cost of Rs. 200/- for the use of this office.

This may be sanctioned; but I think it best that all type-writers should be of a uniform pattern so far as arrangement of letters is concerned. The American ones we use are better & of course more costly. (350 Rs)-

What is the price of Remington?

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To the 3rd Councillor

Jud 10.3.02

Sanctioned.

17/3/02 (78) We may know it in the Head of the Deptt to make the best purchase possible.

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H W 9/3

submit to Secy in the usual draft.

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From

Lt.-Colonel Percy.H.Benson M.B., I.M.S.,

Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore,

Bangalore.

To

H.V.Nanjundayya Esqr: M.A, M.L.

Secretary to the Government of Mysore

General and Revenue Departments,

Bangalore.

No. 282/J Enc: 4.

Dated 6th March 1902.

Sir,

I have the honor to represent that owing to the paucity of hands in my Office which at present consists of a Manager, Head Clerk and a Clerk who have handful of work to do in the shape of ordinary routine of the Office such as drafting letter checking and preparing accounts, registering and record keeping &c, they find hardly time to fair copy enclosures and letters that are addressed to Government and other Heads of Departments and also in making out several copies of circulars, resolutions and proceedings, which work too devolves on them in addition to the Office work above said and which cannot be possibly got through without considerable delay.

2. Under these circumstances, I ~~find~~ Consider that a Type-writing machine is very essential to this Office and would simplify the work to a great extent. I have therefore the honor to request

that you will be so good as to obtain sanction of Government for the purchase of a Blickensderfer machine No.7 at a cost of Rs.900/= which will be met from the General savings in the Prisons Budget for the current official year.

3. Letter No.3438 A dated 5th March 1902 from Messrs Oakes and Co: of Madras, together with its enclosures in original (to be obligingly returned) is enclosed herein for perusal.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Lt.-Colonel, I.M.S.,

Inspector General of Prisons.

T.C.G.

1901-2

Read:— 8L 1W.

Letter No. 285 J
6 March '02 from the
Inspector General of Prisons
in Bryssore, soliciting
sanction to the purchase
of a Blickensderfer Type-
writing machine No 7 at a
cost of Rs 200/-, as the
same is very essential
to simplify the work
in his office which is
constantly falling into
Arrears.

Esqr Division No 15678-9 Q
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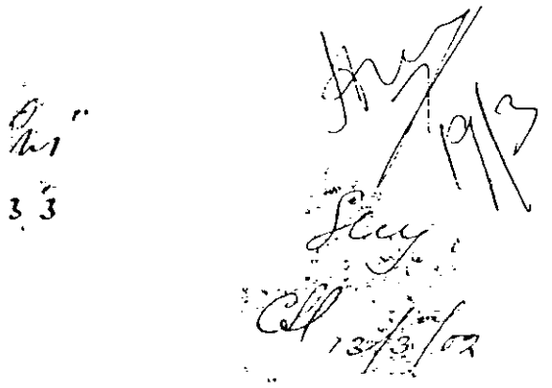
Sanctioned.

2. The amount will be
met from the Jail
Savings ~~into Prisons~~
~~Budget~~ under (10) Jails.

14. Law & Justice.



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(returning enclosures)
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From

The Offg. Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT
1 JUN 1904
GENERAL REVENUE SECRETARIAT

To

The Offg. Secretary to Govt.
Genl & Rev Depte
Bangalore.

Dated 30th May 1904.

Despatched 31/5

Received

General No. 475
No. 97

Enclosure No.

Respects to obtain sanction of Government for the purchase of a Densmore Typewriter at a cost of Rs: 390/- for the use of this Office.

No. 475/J Office of the Inspr. Genl. of Prisons in Mysore,
Dated Bangalore, 30th May 1904.

From

Lt.-Colonel J.Smyth M.D., I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

L.Anantaswami Rao Esqr., B.A.,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments, Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that Government in their Proceedings No.15678-9/J.1352 dated 20th March 1902, sanctioned the purchase of a Blickensderfer Type writing machine No.7 at a cost of Rs.200/- for the use of my Office.

2. Accordingly the machine was purchased from Messrs. Oakes & Co., Madras, in March 1902, and it was in workable order for a year or so. Afterwards, commenced to get out of order, specially when more than one copy is taken with carbon paper. Within a period of about 1½ year, the machine had to be sent for repairs on two or three occasions. Lastly it was sent to Messrs. Oakes & Co., in the month of March 1904, for being carefully examined and the necessary repairs executed. They returned the machine duly repaired and charged Rs.10/- besides railway fare to and from Madras, which has also been adjusted. Two months have hardly lapsed before the machine has again got out of order, printing only half letters, the topmost part of which can be scarcely distinguished.

3. As an illustration of the fact, I would invite kind perusal of Government to the Administration Report on Jails and Lock-ups for the Calendar year 1903.

4. My opinion of Blickensderfer machine, is, that it is of a very delicate mechanism and very soon gets out of order and becomes quite unfit for use. To get it repaired every

now

now and then, is I think a waste of public money, besides causing great inconvenience and hinderance to the Office work.

5. On enquiry, I am informed that a new model Densmore Standarad Typewriter No.5 is one of the best suited machines in use in the Government Offices of the Madras Presidency, being of a stronger mechanism than that of Remington, besides other special unique advantages.

6. Under these circumstances I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to obtain sanction of Government for the purchase of the Densmore Typewriting machine No.5 with an extra carriage at a cost of Rs.390/- including the carriage hire &ca.

7. The charges may be met out of the provision of Rs. 17970/- made in the Budget of 1903-04 under the head "Supplies and service", 3 &.4 "Plants and Tools, purchase of raw materials" under the major head 16 Bb Law and Justice Jails, (II) Jail Manufactures, as a decent amount of saving is expected under the above head.

8. As the current Official year is fast coming to a close early sanction of Government may be kindly obtained and communicated, to enable me to purchase the machine in question before the lapse of the Budget provision.

9. The Blickensderfer Typewriting machine, which is lying unused in this Office, will be sold and whatever proceeds realized therefrom, will be duly remitted to the Treasury.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M.D.,

Lt.-Colonel I.M.S.,

Offg. Inspector General of Prisons.

T.C.G.

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S.No. 4

Read:-

Letter No. 475/J dated 1
30th May 1904 from the Inspect
General of Prisons in Mysore,
requesting sanction to the pu
-chase of a Desmore Iyp
-writer for the use of his
office at a cost of Rs 390,
the present machine is un-
-workable.

Recd 1-6-1904

Order thereon. No. 2702-03/J

The purchase of a
Desmore Typewriter at a
cost of Rs 390 is sanctioned, a
recommended. The Inspector
General of Prisons is requeste
to report how the machine
works.

2. A re-appropriation statem

may be submitted for sanction through the Comptroller under Rule 23, ~~of the~~ Part I, Chapter II of the Financial Rules issued with Govt Proceedings No. 11: 1150-1198 / 18-1901-02 dated the 7th February 1903.

15.5.07

Offg Secretary.

To

The D.G. of Pensions Mysore.
& Comptroller, Mysore Govts.

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14/6/07

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No. 188 J Office of the Inspr. Genl. of Prisons in Mysor

Dated Ban alore, 26th January 1905.

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From

Lt.-Colonel J.Smyth M.D., I.M.S.,

Offg. Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore.

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To

B.K.Venkatavaradaiengar Esqr.

Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments.

Sir,

Adverting to Proceedings of Government No.2702-03/J dated the 17th June 1904, sanctioning the purchase of a Densmore Typewriter at a cost of Rs.390/-, I have the ho to report that Messrs.Swami Brothers with whom the requi tion was placed on the 21st idem for the supply of a Den Typewriter, delivered the machine in this Office on the 15th July 1904. Since then it is in use and is working satisfactorily.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

M.D.,

Lt.-Colonel I.M.S.,

Offg. Inspector General of Prison

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From

The Offg: Insp: Genl of Pris
in Mysore

To

The Secy: to Government
Genl & Rev Depts
Bangalore

Dated 26th Jany: 1905.

Despatched 27th

Received

General No. 138
No. 9

Enclosure No.

Reports that the Dausmo
typewriting machine, pur-
chased for this Office, work
satisfactorily.

Calls for the reply from the S Records

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File No. 167 [illegible]
Serial No. 6

Diary No. of letter replied to

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Prisons

10/2/ 1905

Date of issue 10/2/05

Signed by Mr. K.S. Chandra Sekhara Aiyar
Hdg

Letter No. 138 dated the 26th January 1905 from the Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore, reporting with reference to para 1 of Government Proceedings No. J 2702-03 dated the 17th June 1904, that the Duplicate Typewriter was purchased on the 15th July 1904 and that since then it is in use and is working satisfactorily

Order over

ORDER THEREON. No.

Sent
17/2

Order Item. No. J 2080
Rec'd 167

Recorded

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Secretary

To The H. of Prisons